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"SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR CREATING AND VALUING FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS LINKED TO REAL ESTATE INDICES" Attorney Docket No. PARTLOW

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[X] Utility Patent Application Transmittal Letter;

[X] New U.S. Patent Application including Specification (79 pp) and Claims (4 pp); and Abstract (2 pp);

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(Only for new nonprovisional applications Express Mail Label No. EV400863483US under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Mail Stop Patent Application TO: APPLICATION ELEMENTS Commissioner for Patents See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 1. [X] Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) 2. [X] Specification Total Pages [84]] 3. [X] Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets [6] **ITotal Sheets** [3] 4. [X] Oath or Declaration Newly executed (original or copy) a. [] Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) b. [] (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed) [Note Box 5 below] DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. 6. [] Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix) 7. [] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. [] Computer Readable Copy b. [] Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) c. [] Statement verifying identity of above copies ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS 8. [] Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 37 CFR 3.73 (b) Statement (when there is an assignee) [] Power of Attorney 10. [] English Translation Document (if applicable) 11. [] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 [] Copies of IDS Citations 12. [] Preliminary Amendment 13. [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) [] Statement filed in prior application. Status still proper and desired 14. [X] Small Entity Statement(s) 15. [] Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. [] Other: a) b) 17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: [] Continuation [] Divisional [] Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: 18. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Anthony H. Handal Reg. No. 26,275 Roger Pitt Reg. No. 46,996 Phone: (212) 536-4870 Fax: (212) 536-4875

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